

TO SELECT ONE OF  
7 HOSPITAL SITES

Board of Trustees Will Make Final Decision Next Thursday on Location.

## NOT ON M. U. CAMPUS

Trustees Spend Day In Inspecting the Various Places Submitted in City.

The County Hospital Board failed to locate the hospital this afternoon, after having investigated all property sites offered and considered all bids made. The board eliminated all but seven sites out of about twenty-seven offered. Next Thursday morning the board will meet again at 9 o'clock at which time the location will be selected from one of these seven.

The board was unwilling to give out the locations of sites retained for consideration. H. H. Banks, chairman, said they were well distributed over town.

When asked if the free sites were still under consideration, Mr. Banks said he was not willing to give anything out on that more than that the University site was not considered at all.

Three members of the hospital board, N. T. Gentry, D. G. Spellman of Sturgeon and T. P. Brown had to hurry away to catch the 4:20 Wabash train. Otherwise the board would have continued in session until the location had been agreed upon.

"We didn't consider the University site at all," said Mr. Banks because no one seems in favor of such an arrangement. It is believed that the University has no authority to deed ground for any such purpose and the board does not care to get into complications over the matter of site.

W. O. Ellis of Cedar township, another member of the board, said he believed the University offer could not have been accepted under any considerations until the Legislature had passed upon it.

Voting on the sites was done by secret ballot.

"The price," said Mr. Banks, "was not so much considered as the quality of the location."

Of the seven sites left for consideration, the bids on them range from \$5,000 to \$40,000, and acreages range from two to ten acres, Mr. Banks later announced.

## YANKS BOY MASCOT ARRESTED

English Orphan With Different United States Air Squadrons Since 1917.

By United Press.

LONDON, May 18 (by mail).—The story of how the American Air Force adopted a bright, curly-headed English boy named Loveridge as their mascot, was told here at the police-court when the child was charged with "sleeping out." The chapters of his career were as follows:

Parents killed in an air-raid in October, 1917.

Boy adopted as a mascot by 186th Squadron, American Air Force.

Handed over to 153 Squadron, when 186th went to France.

Given to 228th Squadron, when 153rd crossed the Channel.

Number 228th Squadron ordered home. Tried hard to persuade the British government to allow them to take their little mascot with them, but the government said: "No, not for four years."

So the Americans left their little comrade behind. The boy, bereft of friends and destitute, was found asleep under a hayrick, and taken to the police court.

After hearing his tragic history, the magistrate said: "You mustn't mind being in the dock, my boy; you haven't done anything wrong." The boy was placed in the care of the missionary who promised to look after him, and find him proper work.

## RED CROSS TO MOVE SOON

New Quarters Sought by Committee—Meeting to Be Held Friday.

A discussion meeting of the Red Cross members was held this afternoon at the Red Cross rooms. A committee consisting of Miss Laura Franklin and Mrs. W. T. Stephenson was appointed to look for new quarters for the Red Cross as they will have to vacate the Thilo Building. Another meeting will be held at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon, when all members are urged to be present.

## Missionary Society to Meet.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist Church will hold its annual open meeting at the church at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon. The topic for discussion will be "The Country Church." The Rev. G. E. Benson of Ashland will make the principal address.

## Who Can Give a Baby Buggy?

A call has come to the Red Cross for a baby carriage. One of Columbia's soldiers, who has just returned home from camp, has a new baby. He cannot afford to buy a baby carriage. Any person, who has one to offer, should call the Red Cross Rooms.

## THE WEATHER

For Columbia and Vicinity: Generally fair tonight and Friday. Not much change in temperature.

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## Weather Conditions.

Light to moderate showers fell over the central part of Missouri, and were more or less general in Nebraska, Iowa, the Dakotas, Minnesota, Wisconsin, and Illinois during the past 24 hours; showers also have continued on the Atlantic coast from Florida to North Carolina. In other sections of the United States mostly fair weather prevailed.

Midsummer warmth is beginning to make itself felt in the far South but in other sections the weather still is somewhat cooler than normal.

In Columbia mostly fair and moderate weather will likely prevail during the next 36 hours.

## Local Data.

The highest temperature in Columbia yesterday was 75; and the lowest last night was 56. Precipitation 0.27. Relative humidity noon yesterday was 43 per cent. A year ago yesterday the highest temperature was 88 and the lowest was 45. Precipitation 0.10.

(Summer time) Sun rose today 5:43 a. m. Sun sets 8:31 p. m. Moon sets 1:24 a. m.

## The Temperatures Today.

7 a. m.	58	11 a. m.	67
8 a. m.	60	12 noon	66
9 a. m.	63	1 p. m.	65
10 a. m.	65		

## SENATE FOR SUFFRAGE

Resolution Passes Upper House by a Vote 56 to 25.

The House woman suffrage resolution was adopted by the Senate late yesterday and the proposed constitutional amendment now goes to the states for ratification. The vote was 56 for adoption and 25 against, or two more than two-thirds majority required.

The Senate rejected, 55 to 28, an amendment by Senator Underwood, Democrat, of Alabama, providing that popular state conventions and not legislatures should act on the proposed constitutional amendment.

Senator Spencer of Missouri voted for the bill and Senator Reed of Missouri voted against it.

## CROSSWHITE WINS AUTO SUIT

Justice Bicknell Awards Him \$250 Damages From Thomas Wade.

Justice Bicknell awarded W. E. Crosswhite \$250 damages this afternoon in Crosswhite's case against Thomas Wade to recover damages received in an automobile collision on the Blackfoot Gravel road the night of April 5. A car driven by Wade collided with Crosswhite's car driven by his son, Roy Crosswhite, about three miles north of Columbia.

Crosswhite claimed that his son was within dangerous distance of a ditch on his side of the road and that it was impossible for him to turn out farther. He claimed that Wade, who had plenty of room on his side of the road, could have avoided the collision.

Wade's counsel plead that he attempted to turn out to the right and that the accident was caused by lack of precaution on Crosswhite's part.

About thirty persons were in court for the trial, an unusually large number for the justice court.

## T. C. MORELOCK BACK SOON

His Company Expects to Leave Today for Camp Upton.

T. C. Morelock, a former student in the University and son-in-law of C. W. Davis, county clerk, who is with the headquarters company of the 356th Infantry of the 89th Division, telegraphed here this morning that it is understood his division will start today to Camp Funston or Camp Taylor from Camp Upton, N. Y.

The Eighty-ninth probably will parade in St. Louis and Kansas City. Morelock expects to be in Columbia in a few days. He has not decided whether he will enter the University again or not. His home is at Milan, Mo.

## F. F. RICHARDS MARRIES

Miss Bina Hutsell Becomes Bride of Merchant Here.

F. F. Richards, one of the proprietors of a general store at More's Switch, was married last night to Miss Bina Hutsell of Switzler. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's father, J. H. Hutsell, a farmer at Switzler.

Mr. Richards is a partner in the firm of Estep and Richards, dealers in general merchandise. The bride has been a Boone County school teacher for several years. Last year she taught at the Zaring school.

## THE COFFEE CROP IS SHORT

No Chance for a Drop in Price in This Country.

By United Press.

CHICAGO, June 5.—The shortest coffee crop in twenty years is due to the heavy frost in Brazil. A 45 per cent drop in the visible supply of coffee in the United States and an increase in the value of Brazilian money are also given as reasons.

The price of the beverage will not come down in this country soon.

## Bonds of Depositories Approved.

The \$40,000 bonds of the seven Boone County banks, selected by the County Court as the depositories of the county and school funds, were approved by the court this afternoon.

HOPES TO SETTLE  
WIRE STRIKE SOON

Unless Atlanta, Ga., Trouble Is Adjusted, Whole Country to Be Involved.

## DECIDE IN 72 HOURS

Georgia Mayor May Cable Wilson to Take Over Situation.

By United Press.

ATLANTA, Georgia, June 5.—In an effort to avert a nation-wide strike of telephone and telegraph workers, the mayor today wired Postmaster General Burleson asking if he would give his consent to the establishment of a local arbitration board to handle the controversial points of the strike of 100,160 wireless workers here. A copy of the telegram was also addressed to S. J. Konenkamp, president of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union, asking if he would submit the workers' side to the board.

By JAMES KOLBERT

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

WINNIPEG, June 5.—Despite indications of renewal of intensity of the general strike here, leaders hope for settlement within the next 24 hours.

Authoritative information indicates that a settlement "with honor to both sides" will be made within the next day. Secretary Robinson of the general strike committee backed this prediction today by telegraphing to labor delegates from the entire province to appear immediately for "settlement" of the strike.

## To Announce Date Soon.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—President S. J. Konenkamp of the Commercial Telegraphers Union of America today declared that unless the Atlanta situation is settled very quickly the "strike there will involve the entire United States and Canada.

"The telegraph and electrical workers in every section of the country are demanding that I sanction the strike which they voted and it will be impossible to keep them at work much longer."

"I will announce the date of the general strike in 72 hours," said Mr. Konenkamp.

## Ranks of Strikers Swell.

By United Press.

ATLANTA, Ga., June 5.—With strike leaders claiming steady increases in their ranks, the telephone and telegraph strike continued here today.

Mayor Keep is considering cabling to President Wilson to take the situation out of Postmaster General Burleson's hands.

## TELLS HOW TO REMOVE WEEDS

J. T. Rosa Says Cultivate the Garden Well Early in Year.

The first step in a weed-free garden, according to J. T. Rosa of the horticulture department of the College of Agriculture, is to cultivate closely in the early part of the season. If the gardener lacks enthusiasm at this time of the year, the weeds will ultimately triumph over his vegetables.

At this time, most of the weed seeds germinate and the small weeds are easily killed before they have a chance to produce seed of their own. A single weed can produce enough seed to infest the whole garden next year. All through the season the weeds should be removed as fast as they appear and if this is done the number will be greatly diminished the next year.

Fresh stable manure usually contains many weed seeds and is a dangerous source of infection. This can be overcome by allowing the manure to stand in a compost heap for about six months.

## LOEB SPEAKS IN KANSAS CITY

Opposes Adding Small Laws to the State Constitution.

Dr. Isidor Loeb, professor of political science and public law of the University, delivered a lecture on "The Constitutional Basis of State Government" before the Equal Suffrage League in Kansas City yesterday afternoon.

In his talk Doctor Loeb went into the historical features of Missouri's entrance into the Union and told of the different constitutions under which the state has been governed.

He described the method of adding small laws to the constitution of Missouri. The desire of the people to make laws directly, and a lack of sufficient trust in the men elected to the Legislature was given by the speaker as reasons why the Missouri constitution is so heavily laden with amendments.

## Missionary Societies Meet Here.

Representatives from all Missionary Societies of Boone County will meet at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the First Baptist Church. E. R. Benson, head of the Ashland community center, will lead the discussion on "The Country Church." After the meeting there will be a social hour.

AUSTRIA PROTESTS  
PEACE TREATY TERMS

Government Decrees Three Days Period of National Mourning.

## TO CEDE SILESIA?

Turkey May Have to Accept Conditions as Allies Offer.

By United Press.

ZURICH, June 5.—The Austrian government has decreed a three day period of national mourning in protest to the terms of the peace treaty, a Vienna dispatch received here today reported.

## Answer to Germany Soon.

By FRED S. FERGUSON

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

PARIS, June 5.—The Allies' answer to the counter proposals will be handed to the Germans before June 12, it was learned from an authoritative source today.

The Big Four today heard Premier Paderewski regarding upper Silesia, are now advising be turned over to which some of the Allied delegates Germany instead of being awarded to Poland. The premier presented his views of the continuing fighting between the Poles and the Ukrainians after his assurance that this would cease.

## Turkey Only a Witness.

The Big Four had decided to call in the Turkish peace delegates, according to an unofficial report. The exact date has not been fixed. From the same source it was learned that Turkey will be considered merely as a "witness" and not as a full active plenipotentiary. This is accepted as an indication that Turkey will be given practically no opportunity for discussion of the terms and that she must accept the conditions exactly as drawn up by the Allies.

## U. S.'s Part Advisory.

America's part in drawing up the Turkish treaty is expected to be confined largely to an advisory role although the question of accepting mandates over former Turkish territory will probably figure in the discussion.

## ALL-A. E. F. END BACK TO U. S.

George McCullough, Army Football Star, May Re-enter M. U.

Private George H. McCullough has just arrived from overseas with the Thirty-sixth Division, according to a telegram received by his mother, Mrs. Emma McCullough, 615 Lee street, today. McCullough came back to the United States on board the Great Northern. He has been sent to Camp Mills and is expected to come west to Funston for discharge within a few days.

McCullough, who was a star on Coach John F. Miller's freshman football and basketball teams in 1915-16, was chosen as left end for the mythical all-A. E. F. eleven after playing left end on the Thirty-sixth Division team which was runner-up for the championship of the A. E. F., and was defeated only once, in the final game of the season, by the Eighty-ninth Division team.

That McCullough was playing real football in the championship game, is indicated by the fact that he was the only man that crossed the Eighty-ninth's goal line, in the game, and that his touchdown was the only score his team made in the game which it lost 14 to 6.

In an earlier game, at Bar-sur-Aube witnessed by Lieutenant General Liggett, commander of the American First Army, Liggett asked to see the star left end, shook hands with him, complimented his work, and presented him with a silver mounted morocco cigarette case.

After the championship game in Paris, the men of both teams were given fifteen days leave, and visited Rome and other Italian cities.

The Thirty-sixth Division was made up largely of Oklahoma and Texas men, McCullough being the only Missourian on the team, and "believe me," McCullough said in a letter to his mother, "it was pretty hard for one man to stick up for the 'show-me' state."

McCullough will probably re-enter the University next fall, and if so, will be eligible for both basketball and football.

## NAVY TO DISCHARGE 50,000

Schedule Will Decrease Navy to 200,000 Men by June 1, 1920.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—Recommendations for a 1919-1920 navy of 250,000 men to October 1, 235,000 to January 1 and 200,000 to June 1, were made today to the Naval Affairs Committee of the House by Secretary Daniels.

Daniels told the committee that his schedule for discharges would permit him to release men to comply with this recommendation.

## Missionary Meeting at M. E. Church.

The woman's missionary society of the Broadway Methodist Church will hold an all-day meeting tomorrow at the church, beginning at 10:30 o'clock.

## THE CALENDAR

June 7.—Western Conference Track Meet at Chicago.

June 10.—Boone County W.C.T.U. Institute meets at the Methodist Church.

June 16.—June term of Boone County Circuit Court meets.

June 17 to July 27.—Y. W. C. A. outing at Hollister.

June 19.—Spring term of the University ends.

June 20.—Enrollment for summer term of the University.

June 21.—R. O. T. C. camp at Camp Funston starts.

July 4.—Clifford Devereux Corporation will present three plays in the University Auditorium.

August 14.—Summer term of the University ends.

August 26.—Registration for the fall term of the University starts.

## PROBE "TREATY LEAK"

Senators Demand Investigation of Charge Business Interests Have Treaty.

By L. C. MARTIN

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, June 5.—Administration leaders today demanded a full investigation into the charge that the full text of the peace treaty was in the hands of New York business interests.

Senator Hitchcock said that if Senator Lodge held a copy of it in his hands recently he had held "stolen goods." He demanded a probe of the "treaty leak" to offset the "monstrous charge" which he said had been construed against President Wilson by leaving the impression that he had permitted business interests to get advance view of the treaty.

## EXPECTS HUGE WHEAT CROP

W. T. Anderson Fears Lack of Transportation Facilities Here.

"The railroads will not be able to keep enough cars here for the transportation of Boone County's wheat unless heavy rains come right at harvest time," W. T. Anderson, president of the Boone County Milling Company, said this morning.

Excessive rains recently have belated the harvest, however, Mr. Anderson said. Had weather conditions been normal, the harvest season would have begun in a week. But on account of the heavy rainfall farmers will not begin cutting their wheat until about June 20, or possibly a little later.

"The danger of too much moisture at harvest time," said Mr. Anderson, "lies in the fact that under such a condition wheat is damaged in the cutting, and after it is in the shock it will often sprout."

Corn has been damaged. Some of the grain has never come through the ground. The rains have also given the weeds a chance to make injurious headway. It is impossible for the farmers to cultivate their corn while the ground is so wet.

"The first crop of alfalfa has been hurt badly," Mr. Anderson said. "Some farmers have already cut their first crop of alfalfa."

According to Mr. Anderson the condition of the oat crop is satisfactory.

## BATTERY WIRE CART ARRIVES

Equipment for University Field Artillery Unit Here Today.

A battery wire cart, part of the signal equipment of the field artillery unit of the University, arrived today. The cart is used for the transportation of telephone wire to various parts of the battery. More of the equipment is on the way but it is not definitely known when it will arrive. The horses have not been shipped as yet.

The nine men who are to attend the R.O.T.C. camp at Camp Funston must report in camp by June 21.

## PLAN TO RENEW ALL LICENSES

Kansas City's 446 Saloons Hope to Continue Business After July 1.

By United Press.

KANSAS CITY, June 5.—Kansas City's 446 saloons are being notified of the expiration of their city and county license in preparation for renewal on July 1, regardless of the war time prohibition act which, under existing legislation, will become effective on that date, according to excise clerks here.

The same routine is being followed, applications being received at the present rate of \$250 a license.

According to excise clerks, failure of war time prohibition act to take effect will net the government approximately \$300,000,000 between July 1 and January 16. Kansas City would collect \$111,500 or thereabouts in license fees.

## Degrees to 1925 at Columbia, U.

At commencement exercises at Columbia University, New York, yesterday 1925 students of Columbia, Barnard College and Teachers' College received degrees, and honorary degrees were conferred upon eight men as recognition of services to the nation during the war and for contribution to the sciences and literature. Doctor of laws was conferred on Major General Enoch H. Crowder, judge advocate general of the United States Army, and Viscount Ishii, Japanese ambassador to the United States.

NEAR HUNDRED DIE IN  
COAL MINE EXPLOSION

Wilkesbarre Tragedy One of the Worst in Anthracite Coal District.

## 85 KNOWN DEAD

Disaster Caused by Electric Wire Falling Into Black Powder.

By United Press.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., June 5.—Undertakers' figures show a death list of 90 to 100 names. The count of the known dead was placed at 71, only 41 of whom have been identified.

Most of the miners killed were American born and many were returned soldiers, who had been given their old jobs back.

By United Press.

WILKESBARRE, June 5.—More than 85 men are believed to have been killed in an explosion in the Baltimore Tunnel of the Delaware and Hudson Coal Company near Wilkesbarre.

Every morgue in the city is pressed into service and thousands of frantic women and children are dashing from one undertaking establishment to another in efforts to learn if their loved ones are among those killed.

Today's accident is one of the worst in the history of the anthracite coal district. The Avondale accident in which 108 lost their lives was the worst.

The explosion was caused by an electric wire which fell into a car of black powder. Sixteen cars with 200 men were just entering the tunnel when it occurred.

Most of the men died as results of inhaling the fumes but many were blown to atoms. Others were drowned in the trenches of water which ran along the side of the tunnel.

The accident occurred at 6:40 this morning while the men were on their way to work. The explosion was heard for miles. By 7 o'clock thousands of persons were gathered at the tunnel. The dead were placed on the side of a hill nearby.

Hurry calls were immediately sent to all physicians in the city and a steady stream of speeding cars proceeded to the scene. Every coal company in the vicinity rushed ambulances and first aid to the tunnel.

At 11 o'clock officials announced the death toll as 85. With many injured at the hospitals reported dying it is possible that the number of dead will reach 100.

## SCHOOLS SUFFER IN GERMANY

Lack of Fixed Policy Hard on Educational System.

By JOHN GRAUDENZ

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

BERLIN, May 15 (by mail).—The radicals claim that "equal education for everyone," the principle of socialism, has been dropped by the socialistic German government.

The total amount needed for the most necessary school reforms is estimated at two hundred million marks, but not even one million and a half was granted for the proposed people's high school, where intelligent workmen could be trained as administration officials.

There are from ten to fifteen thousand unemployed teachers. Thousands of governesses are being dismissed to make room for the returning warriors.

The reformers intend to change the entire school system to correspond with American, Danish, and Swedish systems, especially with regard to the so-called working schools.